## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:	)	
GOLZ, Stefan et al.	)	Group Art No. TBA
Serial No: 10/575,361	)	Examiner: TBA
Filed: April 11, 2006	)	Docket No. 004974.01111
For: DIANOSTICS AND THERAPEUTICS FOR DISEASES ASSOCIATED WITH AMINOPEPTIDASE-LIKE 1 (NPEPL1)		

## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Customer Service Window, Mail Stop New Application Randolph Building 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97, Applicants submit herewith one Form PTO-1449 identifying information for the Examiner's consideration. Copies of the cited documents attached.

If the Patent and Trademark Office determines that a fee is required, please charge our Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Respectfully submitted,

BANNER & WITCOFF, LTD.

Date: December 11, 2006

Lisa M. Hemmendinger Registration No. 42,653

salu. Henceading

Banner & Witcoff, Ltd. Customer No. 22907

LMH/mhn

USPTO Form 1449 Patent and Trademark Office INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION Sheet 1 of 1		Attorney Docket No. 004974.01111		Serial No. 10/575,361					
		Applicant(s): GOLZ et al							
Sheet 1 GI			Filing Date: even herewith				Group: TBA		
U.S. PATE	NT DOCUMENTS								
Examiner Initial	Patent No.	Date	Name	Class	Subclass	Filing Date (if appropriate)			
				<del> </del>	<u> </u>	-	<u></u>		
						<del> </del>			
20251071				<u> </u>	<u></u>	<u>.                                    </u>			
FOREIGN	PATENT DOCUMENT	'S	Τ	<del></del>	γ	T			
Examiner Initial	Document No.	Date	Country	Class	Subclass	Translation			
	WO 99/36550 A	22 July 1999	PCT			YES	NO		
		22 July 1777	101	ļ					
OTHER DO	OCUMENTS (including	Author, Title, Date, Po	ertinent Pages, etc.)						
NAGASE T ET AL: "PREDICTION OF THE CODING SEQUENCES OF UNIDENTIFIED HUMAN GENES. XI. THE COMPLETE SEQUENCES OF 100 NEW CDNA CLONES FROM BRAIN WHICH CODE FOR LARGE PROTEINS IN VITRO" DNA RESEARCH, UNIVERSAL ACADEMY PRESS, JP, vol. 5, 1998, pages 277-286, XP000828191 ISSN: 1340-2838									
					<del></del>				
EXAMINER			DATE CONSIDERED						
*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to Applicant.									

ì